

## THE ARIZONA MINING FIELD

### Items About the Mines and Mineral Development Culled From Exchanges

#### TREASURELAND OF AMERICA

Reports From Many Districts in the Territory, Telling of Important Discoveries, Active Operations and Organization of New Companies

The Cananea plant was shut down temporarily last week for lack of coal and coke. All of the big plants have been having trouble to keep up their supply of coal and coke. Oil would prove a solution to the problem, and it will be found cheaper in the end.—Exchange.

Since the territorial board of equalization raised the value of mining claims in this county from \$1000 to \$5000, not a single application for a patent has been made. Last year there was an increase of more than one hundred patented mining claims on the assessment rolls, an increase to the permanent taxable wealth of the territory of more than \$100,000, even at the old valuation. Under the new appraised value of mines in this county the tax will amount to \$350 per claim. The assessment work can be done for \$100.—Copper Era.

#### YAVAPAI COUNTY

Growing Importance of the Mining Industry. New Developments

It is good news to the people of Prescott to know that H. J. Beemer is letting contracts for development work on Storm Cloud group of mines, located about twelve miles south of this city in Hassayampa district. About 1500 feet of sinking, drifting and cross-cutting will be done. These are very promising properties from which a good deal of ore has been worked with satisfactory results. Should development work make these properties what surface showings and present workings indicate, there will be a considerable mining camp spring up around the Storm Cloud in the not distant future. The development of that group of mines means a great deal for Prescott.

Frank Barr brought in some fine looking gold-copper ore from the claims of the Little Brother Gold Mining company. The ore is heavy with mineral, and the free gold visible to the naked eye showed well on some of it. These properties are located near Prescott, in Copper Basin district, and are four miles from Skull Valley and less than three miles from the line of the P. & A. C. railway. There is abundance of water and plenty of wood for all purposes near at hand. Mr. Barr says the ledges on these mines range from two to six feet wide, while the pay streak ranges from 18 to 20 inches in width; that the whole group makes a fine showing of gold and copper ore.

#### MOHAVE COUNTY

The Week's Mining News as Reported by Exchanges

From the Mohave Miner.

It is reported that Harvey Hubbs has discovered a valuable gold mine in the foot hills near Yucca. Assays from the ore run high and many specimens show free gold. The vein is quite large.

E. F. Thomson has let a contract to sink the shaft on the Idaho mine, Cerbat, fifty feet deeper. At the bottom of the shaft there is a four foot body of ore that averages \$25 in gold and silver, and Mr. Thomson proposes to ship a couple of carloads to the smelter to ascertain just what can be done with it. The mine is in one of the best gold belts in the county.

C. D. Pickering, superintendent of the Yucca Cyanide M. & M. company is in Kingman. He reports that everything is in readiness at the mine for the reception of the big compressor, which is expected at Yucca today. When the compressor is in place work on the deep working shaft will be pushed as fast as possible. It is intended to sink this shaft to the depth of 1000 feet. The mine in the new workings looks fine and big bodies of rich ore are in sight.

E. F. L'Engle, ore buyer for the Arizona Smelting company, is looking after the business interests of his people in this county. The smelting company is receiving a large tonnage of ore from Wallapai mining district. The Arizona Smelting company is getting its lead stack at Humboldt ready to blow in, the copper stack having been completed. The plant will handle 800 tons of lead and copper ore daily. Mo-

have county will contribute a large part of the tonnage.

The first shipment of ore from the Banner group of mines to the Needles smelter has been made. About a carload was brought in by the big ore teams and will go out to the Needles tomorrow. This ore is from the drift and shaft in the mine and is very rich in gold, silver and lead. Hundreds of tons of ore is piled up at the mine and much of it will be dressed up in the mill and shipped with the richer material that the mine produces. In the breast of the drift the ore still shows handsome values in the form of native and ruby silver. Work is progressing on both drift and winze.

#### CLIFTON AND MORENCI

Items of Interest From Graham County's Big Copper Camps

From the Copper Era

The New Year was hailed with delight by local shareholders of the New England and Clifton Copper company, for the reason that shipment of ore was commenced on that date, which means that from now on the company will be on a self-supporting basis. Ore is now being hauled by wagons from the mines at the rate of fifteen tons per day, which will be increased to forty or fifty tons per day as soon as the tramway can be completed, which will not doubt be in operation sometime in February. The company is now working forty men in their mines and a small force on the construction of the tramway, which will be increased, besides the men employed in transporting the ores, making in all quite a nice pay-roll, the benefit of which will be felt in business circles.

The Columbus Copper company of New York was recently incorporated for the purpose of developing mining property near Metcalf. Chas. E. Stevens, a man of much experience in the district, is in charge of the property, and has already commenced work. Good ore is already being taken out, and it is expected that shipping will soon be commenced.

On New Year's day the local management was informed by wire from the main office in New York that in future all shipments of ore would be made to the Detroit Copper company at Morenci, instead of the Shannon Copper company, which has treated the ore for the past two years. As heretofore, the ore will be delivered at the terminal bins of the company on the Coronado railroad, near Metcalf. The change was a surprise to the people here, as it was the first intimation they have had that the D. C. company was in the market for local ores. This is a new departure on the part of the D. C. people, which is of much interest to the district in general, as it means local competition for local ores.

#### OUR NEIGHBOR PINAL

Mining News Reported by Our Arizona Exchanges.

From the Florence Blade.

Ben Eaton and Tom Hall have secured a contract to sink a 100-foot shaft on the McSherry properties in the Kelvin district, and commenced work on the shaft the first of the week.

Manager Frank Sharps says the test run of the Kelvin Reduction company's plant made last week proved successful, and that the plant will be started on a steady run in a few days.

The Southern Bell properties in the Old Hat district have recently been purchased by a company that will commence work on a large scale at once. These properties have produced considerable gold in the past, the ore having been run through a ten stamp mill located on the ground.

The Desert Queen is running day and night as it has been for some time, and making regular shipments of gold bullion every thirty days. An additional five stamps is to be added to the mill, the machinery being on the way—also a new boiler. While the output is not given to the public at large, it is understood to be highly satisfactory, as the enlarged mill capacity indicates.

Gates M. Fowler, of Phoenix, representing the Vincennes-Arizona Copper company, has secured a working bond on the Wood-Sower group of claims located near Winkelman. These claims have immense iron-capped copper workings with copper carbonates and oxides occurring in a few places on the surface, but generally the copper has all leached. Numerous assays for gold have been made from the mass of iron croppings with results ranging from \$2 to \$5 per ton. This property is well known to mining men of the Kelvin section, and all agree that it is one of unusual promise, as the croppings indicate a large deposit of copper.

#### Townsite Meeting

A townsite meeting of the qualified electors of Globe Townsite will be held at Fireman's Hall February 7, 1906, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of apportioning the funds now in the hands of the trustee of said townsite for public improvements.

P. C. ROBERTSON, Trustee Globe Townsite.

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### Mines and Stock

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Believing that the interests of Globe Mining District can be best served by establishing an exchange which shall be headquarters for prospectors and claim owners and the various corporations now operating in this vicinity, I will open offices in the Whelan Building, Broad street, Globe, (opposite the postoffice) on or about January 15, 1906.

The latest information regarding new discoveries, strikes and progress in development of all properties in the district will be on tap for the general benefit of those interested.

In order that the greatest degree of success may be obtained the cooperation of every prospector, claim owner, and manager of properties in the district is solicited.

If you discover new leads that promise well for development, bring samples of the ore and file a description of the location.

If a new strike is made in development or assessment work, don't be backward in making it known.

Any news honestly calculated to benefit the district and those adjacent will be widely disseminated. What the situation demands is a knowledge of facts. We don't need "hot air" to boom Globe Mining District; the truth is good enough. Even at half the truth it is better than most other districts can prove up. Every little helps.

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Do not fail to take advantage of the opportunities offered.

R. H. Rose.

References:—

Gila Valley Bank and Trust Company, First National Bank, Jos. H. Hamill, Editor Arizona Silver Belt.

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#### SUMMONS

In the Justice Court, Globe Precinct, in and for the County of Gila, Territory of Arizona.

G. D. Barclay, Hugh Higdon and Rosa B. Pendleton co-partners, doing business under the name and style of Barclay, Higdon & Co., plaintiff

vs.

Jack C. Fuller, Defendant

Action brought in the Justice's Court of Globe precinct, in and for the County of Gila, Territory of Arizona:

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Jack C. Fuller.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiffs, in the Justice's Court of Globe Precinct in and for the County of Gila, in the Territory of Arizona and answer the complaint filed in said Justice's Court at Globe in said County, within five days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons if served in this precinct; but if served without this precinct, but in the county, ten days; if served out of the county, fifteen days; in all other cases twenty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand at Globe, Arizona, this 2nd day of December, A. D. 1905:

HINSON THOMAS, Justice of the Peace of Globe Precinct. First publication 12 21 05.

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the probate court, Gila county Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of James Stevens, deceased.

It appearing to this court, by the petition of W. D. Fisk, administrator of the estate of James Stevens, deceased, that for the best interest of said estate that the hereinafter described mining claims be bonded as prayed for in said petition.

It is therefore ordered by this court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before said probate court, on Monday the 15th day of January, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day at the courtroom of said probate court, in Globe, Gila county, Arizona territory, to show cause why an order should not be made and granted to said administrator to bond said premises as prayed for.

The said mining claims are described as follows, to-wit:

Being situated in Globe Mining District, Gila county, Arizona territory, and being designated and located as the Ophir and Ophir No. 2, the certificates of location whereof appear in book 6, at page 634, and book 7, at page 293, respectively, of record of mines of Gila county.

It is further ordered that three copies hereof be posted in the manner required by law. Also published in the ARIZONA SILVER BELT at least twice before the day set for hearing.

F. C. ROBERTSON, Judge of the Probate Court. Dated this 29th day of December, 1905.

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